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## 2014 Hurricane Briefing



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# *Overview*

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- **Evacuation**
- **Hurricane Specialized Teams**
- **Timelines**
- **Additional Resources**



# ***Planning to Evacuate***

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## **What Can I Do to Prepare Now?**

- **Review Maps/Identify multiple evacuation routes**
- **Review local procedures (i.e. contra flow)**
- **Have a plan for your pets at the start of the storm season**
- **Explain plans to all family members**
- **Talk to caregiver if in-home medical care required**
- **Register for Brevard County special needs shelter if required**
- **Ensure government travel card (GTC) has not expired**
- **Build an evacuation kit with supplies for at least 72 hrs**
- **Ensure vehicle(s) are in good condition and gas tanks don't go below half full**

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# ***Local Evacuation Laws***

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## **Who Must Evacuate?**

- **Personnel on the Barrier Islands (Includes PAFB/Merritt Island)**
- **Personnel in mobile/manufactured homes**
- **Personnel in slosh (flood) zones**

## **What are the Consequences?**

- **It is a Class 3 Misdemeanor to disregard evacuation orders**

## **Where can I evacuate to?**

- **Family/Friend's home**
- **Hotels/Motels (reimbursable within approved limits)**
- **Brevard County Shelters (special needs families must register)**

**Using the Brevard County Shelter should be the LAST resort! These Shelters provide nothing other than a building to stay in.**

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# *Evacuation With Children*

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- **For infants, consider the following:**
  - Diapers (infants on average use 70 per week)
  - Bottles, instant formula, bottled water
  - Portable Crib
  - Non-aspirin liquid pain relievers
  - Pacifiers
  - Clothing/Blankets
  
- **These supplies ease evacuation for children:**
  - Pillows/blankets from home
  - Toys, books, video games etc. to distract from the chaos
  - Photos of family and pets

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# *Considerations for Physically Handicapped Dependents*

- Providing care to dependents who may be physically handicapped or otherwise disabled during an evacuation is best accomplished with thorough preplanning. A few important things to consider are:
  - Establish a plan for short and long-term evacuation
  - Practice and self-evaluate plans
  - Arrange for care provided from in-home care providers
  - Service animals are allowed in shelters by law
  - Prepare for a power outage for treatments that require electricity
  - Ensure a written copy of care instructions travels with the dependent



<http://web.brevardcounty.us/SpecialNeeds/Registration.aspx>



# ***HURCON/RECON Timeline***

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**HURCONs descend before a storm**  
**RECONs ascend following a storm**

**HURCON IV**

**HURCON III**

**HURCON II**

**HURCON I**



**RECON IV**

**RECON III**

**RECON II**

**RECON I**





# ***New HURCONs Defined***

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<b>HURCON/ TCCOR</b>	<b>Criteria</b>
<b>5</b>	General Hurricane Season, 1 June to 30 November
<b>4</b>	Indicates surface winds in excess of 58 mph (50 knots) could arrive within 96 hours.
<b>3</b>	Indicates surface winds in excess of 58 mph could arrive within 72 hours.
<b>2</b>	Indicates surface winds in excess of 58 mph could arrive within 48 hours.
<b>1</b>	Indicates surface winds in excess of 58 mph could arrive within 24 hours.
<b>1E</b>	Indicates surface winds in excess of 58 mph are occurring and other dangerous condition associated with the storm are present. All outside activity is strictly prohibited.
<b>1R</b>	Indicates life-threatening storm hazards have passed but damage may persist and only emergency responders and damage assessment personnel are released to move about.

**REF: AFMAN 10-2504**

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# ***Hurricane Condition Timeline***

<b>HURCON</b>	<b>TIME/POTENTIAL</b>
<b>IV (96 hrs)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Unit CCs validate evacuation plans of affected personnel</li><li>2. Base begins infrastructure &amp; equipment prep</li><li>3. Monitor storm tracks and finalize evacuation preparations</li><li>4. Ensure vehicles fueled up and prepared/Secure loose outdoor items</li></ol>
<b>III (72 hrs)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. 45 SW/CC sets evacuation radius</li><li>2. Begin release of all non-essential personnel</li><li>3. Ensure vehicles fueled up and prepared</li><li>4. Prepare homes as appropriate/move valuables to higher locations</li><li>5. Withdraw cash in case EFT systems crash</li><li>6. Pack clothing and evacuation kit into vehicle</li></ol>
<b>II (48 hrs)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Ensure all non-essential personnel evacuate</li><li>2. Begin release of essential personnel</li><li>3. Base finishes infrastructure &amp; equipment prep</li></ol>
<b>I (24 hrs)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Maintain contact with chain of command</li><li>2. CE/SFS close and secure base</li></ol>



# ***Recovery Conditions Explained***

RECON	PERSONNEL ALLOWED ON BASE
I	<p><b><u>Critical Infrastructure</u></b></p> <p>Only personnel allowed back to PAFB will be personnel assigned to the Hurricane Recovery Team and 45 SW Senior Leadership.</p>
II	<p><b><u>Mission Essential</u></b></p> <p>Only personnel designated “mission essential” by their commander will be allowed back to PAFB/CCAFS and issued a RECON 2 badge</p>
III	<p><b><u>Non Mission Essential</u></b></p> <p>This condition concentrates on restoring functions and services that support the mission and people. Personnel allowed back to PAFB will be most assigned military, civilians, and many contractors.</p>
IV	<p><b><u>Full Mission Capability</u></b></p> <p>This condition concentrates on base beautification, debris removal, and morale. Anyone with access to PAFB will be permitted to return, but long-term repairs may be ongoing.</p>

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# ***Ways to Stay Informed***

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**HURCON and RECON condition changes will be announced through:**

- **AtHoc IWS Alerts for DOD personnel**
- **[www.patrick.af.mil](http://www.patrick.af.mil)**
- **[Facebook.com/45SpaceWing](https://www.facebook.com/45SpaceWing)**
- **[Twitter.com/45SpaceWing](https://twitter.com/45SpaceWing)**
- **[www.patrick-family-housing.com](http://www.patrick-family-housing.com)**
- **AFPAAS: <https://afpaas.af.mil/cas/login>**
- **PAFB Status Hotline: 494-INFO (4636)**
- **AFPC Personnel Readiness Cell: 1-800-435-9941**

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# ***What is AFPAAS?***

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**AFPAAS is the Air Force's web-based tool for initial accounting and ongoing support of Airmen after a disaster event. It provides tools to command leadership and support personnel for accountability, case management and reporting. AFPAAS is Independent of Base-Wide Total Force Accountability**

**After an event, allows Airmen to logon to and answer three key questions:**

- **How are you?**
- **Where are you? and How can we contact you?**
- **What do you need right now?**

**[www.AFPAAS.mil](http://www.AFPAAS.mil)**

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# ***Self-Accounting Steps***

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## **AFPAAS Personnel Categories**

Active Duty	Activated ANG/AFR	DoD Civilians	NAF Civilians
Drilling/Paid Reservists	DoD Contractors (OCONUS)	Active Duty Dependents	Activated ANG/AFR Dependents
DoD Civilian Dependents	NAF Civilian Dependents	Drilling/Paid Reservist Dependents	DoD Contractors Dependents

### **When an Event Occurs:**

**Report status and whereabouts to your Command by logging into AFPAAS.**

**Step 1: Self-account for Event**

**Step 2: Update Location and Contact Info**

**Step 3: Complete Needs Survey (IF Required)**

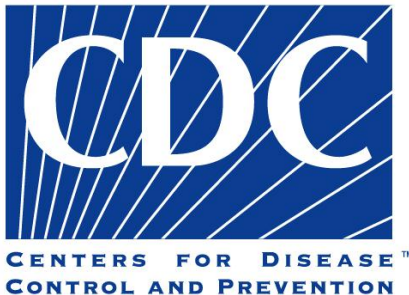
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## *Additional Online Resources*

- The sites below provide more evacuation information: **UNCLASSIFIED**
  - <http://www.brevardcounty.us/EmergencyManagement/> - Brevard County Emergency Management Agency
  - <http://www.bt.cdc.gov/disasters/petprotect.asp> - Information from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) regarding pets during disasters
  - <http://www.redcross.org> – Information from the American Red Cross regarding disaster recovery

The ultimate resource for any disaster plan is [WWW.READY.GOV](http://WWW.READY.GOV)





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## Questions?



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